Minute Extract

Meeting:	Scrutiny Committee
Date:	23 October 2001
18.	EASTBOURNE CRIME REDUCTION PARTNERSHIP. The Committee considered the report of the Director of Planning and Strategy regarding the contribution of Eastbourne Borough Council to the work of the Crime Reduction Partnership. Chef Inspector Grenville Wilson, East Downs, Sussex Police, was in attendance to answer Members' questions regarding the Crime Reduction Partnership. Councillor Graham Marsden, Leader of the Council was also in attendance. Members discussed various aspects of the Crime Reduction Partnership, in particular the structure of the partnership, and the possible inclusion the Magistrates into the Partnership. Members were advised that it would not be appropriate to include Magistrates in the Partnership as they were currently consulted on the Crime Reduction Strategy, and it would more appropriate for them to remain impartial in the creation of the actions and targets to reduce crime in Eastbourne. Members also expressed concern regarding the process of serving Anti-Social Behaviour Orders, and suggested that the Council make representations to the LGA, to request an amendment to the current legislation. RESOLVED: (1) That the contribution of Eastbourne Borough Council to the work of the Crime Reduction Partnership be noted. (2) That Cabinet be recommended to make a formal request to the LGA to make representations to the Government to review the procedures for the implementation of Anti Social Behaviour Orders.

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